GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Public Servants - Sri V. Rajesh Uday Santhosh, the then Tahsildar, Kondapuram YSR Kadapa District - Irregularities committed by making irregular online entries in Webland – Article of charges issued - Explanation submitted - Inquiry officer appointed - Report submitted - Charges proved - To impose a penalty of "withholding of three annual grade increments with cumulative effect" – Orders – Issued.

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REVENUE (VIG.III) DEPARTMENT

G.O.RT.No. 841 **Dated: 29-11-2024**

Read the following:

1.From the District Collector, Y.S.R. District, Kadapa, Ref.No.A1/2197/2017, dated.04.09.2019.
2. Proceedings of the CCLA.No.VS.II(1)/668/2019-1, Dt:21.01.2020.
3. From the Chief Commissioner of Land Administration, A.P., Vijayawada, Lr.Rc.No.VS.II(1)/668/2019, Dated:20.09.2020.
4. G.O.Rt.No.896, Revenue(Vig.III) Dept, Dated:17.11.2020.
5. G.O.Rt.No.415, Revenue (Vig.III) Dept, Dt:12.07.2021.
6. Inquiry report received from the Inquiry Officer/Joint Collector, YSR District, Kadapa, Lr.Ref.No.A1/2197/2017, Dt:10.08.2022.
7. Memo.No.LANA0CCLV(DISC)/5/2020-Vig.III(2)-4, Dated:07.10.2022.
8. Explanation Dt:Nil of Sri V. Rajesh Uday Santhosh, the then Tahsildar, Kondapuram YSR Kadapa District.

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ORDER:

Whereas, based on the report submitted by the District Collector, YSR Kadapa District in the reference 1st read above, the Chief Commissioner of Land Administration, A.P., vide reference 2nd read above has initiated disciplinary proceedings against Sri V. Rajesh Uday Santhosh, the then Tahsildar, Kondapuram YSR Kadapa District on the allegation that he has made certain irregular online entries without any valid proceedings, assignments and without records in village accounts of Bukkapatnam, T.Kodur, K.Sugumanchipalli & P.Ananathapuram Villages of Kondapuram Mandal. Thus, he violated Rules 3 (1), (2) & (3) of APCS Conduct Rules, 1964. The Charged Officer has submitted the written statement of defense denying the charges. As one of the alleged officers is retired from service in this case, the CCLA in the reference 3rd read above has submitted proposals to the Government for initiating common disciplinary proceedings against all the delinquent officers under rule 24 of A.P.C.S (CC&A) Rules, 1991.

2. And whereas, after examining the references 1st to 3rd read above, Common disciplinary proceedings have been initiated against (i) Sri Shaikshavali, Tahsildar (Retd) (ii) Sri V. Rajesh Uday Santhosh, and (iii) Sri E. Nagaraju, the then Tahsildars, Kondapuram vide reference 4th read above.

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3. And whereas, since the written statement of defense of the Charged officers is not convincing, vide reference 5th read above, the Joint Collector, YSR District, Kadapa has been appointed as Inquiry officer to inquire into the charges framed against the Charged Officers. In the reference 6th read above, the Inquiry officer has submitted his report stating that the charge framed against Sri V. Rajesh Uday Santhosh, the then Tahsildar, Kondapuram YSR Kadapa District is held proved. After examining the findings of the Inquiry officer, Government have accepted the same and a copy of the enquiry report has been communicated to the Charged Officer vide reference 7th read above to submit his further explanation under rule 21(2) of A.P.C.S (CC&A) Rules, 1991.

4. And whereas, in the reference 8th read above, the Charged Officer have submitted his further representation reiterating his earlier contentions has stated that all the beneficiaries are having documentary proofs, poor and eking out their lively hood depending on the above said Lands and same are under their possession and enjoyment by active cultivation since years together. They are also getting several Government benefits, like Agricultural subsidies, fertilizers, Bank loans, Ryotu barosa, etc. During enquiry he has brought the same to the notice of the enquiry Officer, but in vain and he put in deaf ear. Further, he submitted that there is no loss to the exchequer to the Govt. and no other financial loss and implications to anybody in this regard. Further he has requested to examine the documentary proofs submitted by him with references to the Webland entries made in the above 4 Villages at Least now and due justice in the matter. He has finally requested that considering all documentary proofs, that the charges made against him have no devoid of merits and not held proved. Hence, requested that charges may be dropped in the interest of natural justice.

5. Government, after careful examination of the matter, have decided and here by impose a penalty of "withholding of three annual grade increments with cumulative effect" against Sri V. Rajesh Uday Santhosh, the then Tahsildar, Kondapuram YSR Kadapa District under rule -9 of A.P.C.S (CC&A) Rules, 1991, as the charge is held proved against him in this matter.

6. The Chief Commissioner of Land Administration, A.P., Mangalagiri shall take necessary action in this matter accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

R P SISODIA
SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To:

1. Sri V. Rajesh Uday Santhosh, the then Tahsildar, Kondapuram, YSR Kadapa District ***through*** the District Collector, YSR Kadapa District.
2. The Chief Commissioner of Land Administration, A.P, Mangalagiri.

Copy to:-

The Collector & District Magistrate, YSR Kadapa District.
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SECTION OFFICER